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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 1 SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK 2 SAMANTHA SIVA KUMARAN. 3 THE A STAR GROUP, INC., 4 d/b/a Timetrics, Plaintiffs, New York, N.Y. 5 6 19 Civ. 8345 (MKV) ٧. 7 NORTHLAND ENERGY TRADING, LLC, et al., 8 Defendants. 9 Teleconference ----X 10 June 18, 2020 11:05 a.m. 11 Before: 12 13 HON. MARY KAY VYSKOCIL, District Judge 14 15 16 **APPEARANCES** 17 18 SAMANTHA SIVA KUMARAN Pro Se Plaintiff 19 20 WESTERMAN BALL EDERER MILLER ZUCKER & SHARFSTEIN, LLP Attorneys for Defendants BY: ELLEN B. TOBIN 21 22 23 24 25

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need to close out the motion.
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               MS. TOBIN: Okay. Understood. Can I file my
      opposition -- I assume you want to move quickly.
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                          Well, it doesn't seem --
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               THE COURT:
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               MS. TOBIN:
                           Ten days?
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               THE COURT:
                           I'm sorry?
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               MS. TOBIN: I was going to say can we do two weeks?
      Or ten days or two weeks?
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              THE COURT:
                          That's fine. Two weeks is fine.
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               MS. TOBIN: It's a lot -- it's just a lot. That's
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      why.
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               THE COURT:
                          No, I understand. Look, this was not
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     brought on -- it's a noticed motion. So, I mean, I think under
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      the rules you are entitled to 21 days, aren't you? Or --
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               (Indiscernible crosstalk)
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               THE COURT: Okay.
                                  Two weeks is fine.
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                           I can do two weeks.
                                                That's fine.
               MS. TOBIN:
               THE COURT: Yes.
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               And, Ms. Kumaran, how long do you need to file
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      whatever reply you want to file?
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               MS. KUMARAN: I think two weeks should be fine.
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               Just one quick clarification. Will the response to
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      this preliminary injunction, for the same concerns raised
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earlier, also be filed under seal for the same reasons we

discussed earlier allowing an opportunity?

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K6i2SivC 1 THE COURT: And we still have our court reporter? 2 THE COURT REPORTER: Yes, Judge. 3 THE COURT: All right. Thank you. I'm sorry. We are 4 almost concluding. 5 And the second part will say that I am deferring 6 ruling on the remainder of your preliminary injunction 7 motion -- I'm deferring briefing on it until there is a ruling on the protective order, at which point, then, the defendants 8 9 will have two weeks to oppose your motion and you will have two 10 weeks to reply. 11 MS. KUMARAN: That is correct, your Honor. Thank you. 12 Thank you, your Honor. 13 THE COURT: All right. 14 Ms. Tobin, is that acceptable to you? 15 MS. TOBIN: Yes, your Honor. 16 THE COURT: Okay. 17 Anything further from anybody? Let me just look at my notes and make sure I'm not --18 MS. TOBIN: I think we need -- we don't have a 19 20 scheduling order in place in terms of -- for discovery. 21 THE COURT: Yes. Well, I'm going to go back and look 22 at -- you do --

THE COURT: You have an order that Magistrate

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Judge Freeman entered, which I hadn't been aware that she

MS. KUMARAN: We do have a scheduling order.